

RLL-256US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: MEHTA *et al.*

Application No.: 10/520,573

International Application No.: PCT/IB2002/002663

International Filing Date: 8 July 2002

For: 3,6-DISUBSTITUTED AZABICYCLO[3.1.0]HEXANE DERIVATIVES USEFUL AS MUSCARINIC RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered prior to examination of the specification filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

To avoid confusion, Applicant indicates deletions within the specification and claims by use of double brackets ([[]]) and **bold**. Amended matter is shown in underline.